

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BOX PATENT APPLICATION

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a new utility patent application of: **Chia-Li CHEN et al.**

Title of Invention: **STORAGE DEVICE WITH OPTIMAL COMPRESSION MANAGEMENT MECHANISM**

Enclosed are:

A specification and 7 claims.

Four (4) sheets of formal drawings (Figs. 1-6).

A Combined Declaration and Appointment of Attorney

Claim for Priority and Priority Document

Applicant qualifies as a **SMALL ENTITY**

Assignment to: **Carry Computer Eng. Co., Ltd.**

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BASIC FEE			<u>\$375.00</u>		<u>\$750.00</u>	
TOTAL CLAIMS	7 - 20 =	<u>0</u>	\$ 9.		\$18.	
INDEP CLAIMS	1 - 3 =	<u>0</u>	\$ 42.		\$84.	
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